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Interview Summary

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Kim T. Huynh

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(2) Justin White, 48,883.

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Date of Interview: 13 July 2004.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 29 and 30.


Identification of prior art discussed: Acres.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See attachment.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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DETAILED ACTION

1. Applicant argues that there is no power source supply to main board and daughter board. Power supply was inherently provided via connection between main board and daughter board.
2. Applicant argues that Acres daisy chain is difference than his invention.
3. Applicant proposed to amend claims 1, 29, 30

As per claim 1, switching off power while two boards still remained connected.

As per claim 29-30, maintain power while replacing the first board with a second daughter board in the first standard receptor slot of the main communication board.

Applicant was advised to send the amendment for further review for consideration.

Kim Huynh

July 13, 2004